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\$750,000 OFFER TO OLD SOUTH TRUST

VISCOUNT FRENCH, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, who narrowly escaped an assassin's bullet. Photo copyright International.

ATTEMPT
ON LIFE OF

ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF BRITISH CHIEF

My International News Service.
London, Dec. 19.—An attempt to assassinate Lord French, commander of the British military forces in Ireland, was made near Dublin this afternoon.

Several shots were fired from ambush at the motorcar in which Lord French, accompanied by a military attendant and two military policemen, was riding along a country road.

The officer accompanying Lord French returned the fire of the attackers, killing one of them. The motorcycle policeman was wounded.

Two bullets penetrated the automo-

The would-be assassins were hidden in bushes fringing the road. According to the Dublin correspondent of the Evening Standard, there were three or four men in the party.

A bomb was found upon the dead men.

The attack created the utmost excitement in Dublin. Reinforcements of troops and policemen have been

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—Forty-three persons, including the fourth engineer and wireless operator, were on board when the steamship Manxman was last seen on Thursday, said a wireless operator here today. The Manxman, a vessel of 1,000 tons, was registered in Portland, Me., for Gibraltar on British registry.

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over the business immediately, according to Mr. Charnick.

"When the doors of the Old South Trust Company were closed yesterday by Bank Commissioner Thorndike," he said, "we at once began making efforts to secure the stock of

work on the small depositor who needed his money for Christmas.

"At present we are in a position to handle this business to both the advantage of the small investor and the stockholder.

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OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

the Old South Trust Company. However in order to make a success of this we must obtain the consent of Bank Commissioner Thorndike and several other persons.

"There are various underlying reasons relative to small bank banking which enter into the arrangement of the plan which at the present time we are unable to discuss owing to the fact that the business of the Old South Trust Company is at present in the hands of the bank commissioner.

"Sufficient to say that while the financial standing of the Old South Trust Company seems to be on a firm footing, the reason for the recent action of the bank commissioner might, according to information received by us, might be assumed up to the one word 'overloaded'.

"When asked whether the business of the Old South would be continued in the present business office, when over by the Hanover Trust Company, Mr. Charnick stated that the business would be conducted from the office of the Hanover Trust Company and the office at present occupied by the Old South closed up and abandoned.

The bank commissioner was in a long conference with Governor Coolidge to decide whether or not to appoint a liquidating agent to take control of the Old South Trust Company, and if this should be decided upon, a choice of the person to be appointed.

Said the bank commissioner, "I have been in conference with Governor Coolidge, and have appointed a liquidating agent for the Old South Trust Company." If it is necessary to appoint such an agent, I want to name a person who would be acceptable to the Governor.

HAY PAY XMAS CHECKS.
"I am trying to arrange to have their banks take up the Christmas savings checks on the Old South Trust Company. There is about \$60,000 of these savings still unpaid depositors, the bank having paid \$90,000. I hope to have all these deposits paid by Christmas so the people may realize the purpose for which they invested the money."

"I have also guaranteed the cooperative banks which deposited with the Old South Trust Company that they will be paid in full. This is my personal guarantee, but I do not expect to suffer any loss."

Bar White House Xmas Tree on Account of Wilson's Illness

By International News Service.
Washington, Dec. 19.—The White House today has decided to have a Christmas tree at the White House this year. This has been definitely decided after conferences between members of the Wilson family.

The President was very anxious to have his grandchildren about him this year, and his improvement has been so favorable that tentative plans had been made to bring the Madison and Mary children to Washington. But Mr. Wilson, however, opposed the plan, insisting that the President of absolute rest and quiet be adhered to.

and assisted Deputy Bank Commissioner Charles W. Levy in going over the books. He was also in touch with the principal stockholders in regard to a sale of the stock for which several local banks are negotiating.

The controlling interest in the Old South Trust Company is held by George Waterbury and John J. Fallon, who also own the investment board.

"The board, according to William R. Scharton, made all the loans for the bank. Mr. Scharton today denied that he was connected with the Old South, declaring that his connection had not been severed so far as he knew.

"I was an official at the last meeting," said Mr. Scharton, "and I have been notified that I was relieved of my duties. I have no part in the controversy over the matter, however."

"I know the bank is solvent. I am confident that every dollar will be paid," said Mr. Scharton. "I have been notified that I was relieved of my duties. I have no part in the controversy over the matter, however."

in the clearing house association, which is a private institution. It might not be.

BLAMES CHRISTMAS CLUB.
It has too much power. It ought to be under public control. When I got my twenty-four hours' notice to look for another clearing agent, it had already been voted in advance to let me clear.

able to the condition of the Old South, it is absolutely solvent. Commissioner Thorndike refused Wednesday night to say it was in a sound condition, and it was I who asked him to come in and take possession.

"There was a combination of circumstances against me. The Christmas club was the last straw. People who had heard the stories set about against us came in and found lines of people in the clearing house, and not knowing the real reason for my going, they would not wait."

Never again would I start the Christmas club proposition. We were liable for only \$15,000 on that account, and have paid out probably \$20,000, and the whole trouble is I lost money on it anyway.

The highbrows find too much competition in the banking business. They use to have a cinch on the money of the immigrants deposited in savings banks. With the rise of trust companies of our own, the highbrows find that they no longer set the use of so much money, so none of us have to be from out.

It may be a year, however, before the amount of their accounts, if it should be paid, would be paid. The bill will be turned over by the bank commissioner to liquidating agents who will liquidate the accounts.

"The Federal Reserve Board at Washington was appealed to in a last-minute attempt to save the Old South Trust Company from closing its doors, but the help which was promised came too late. Arthur McVey, director and brother of John H. McVey, the bank's president, who made a hurried trip to Washington for that purpose, has notified his brother that his mission was partially successful and had it come in time the bank would have been able to remain open.

SENATE FAVORS \$4 TAX LIMIT INCREASE

Major Peters today appealed to Governor Coolidge and the legislative committee on municipal finance, at a private conference in the executive chamber, to save his \$4 tax-limit increase bill from defeat.

"I believe the bill is saved," he said, "thousands of city employees will be denied the wage increase which they are entitled to, and they will have to abandon their plans for development."

Following today's conference, Senator Halliwell, of New Bedford, chairman of the Municipal Finance Committee, entered the Senate and moved that the tax-limit bill, which had come over from the House, be amended to provide a \$4 increase for two years.

Senator Halliwell said he understood that this increase would allow the Mayor an additional \$199,000 in city departmental expenses. "Without it," he said, "there can be no salary increases."

The Senate adopted the amendment on a voice vote, without opposition, and then advanced the bill to a third reading. After another voice vote, the Senate passed the bill, which will be sent back to the House, which will vote on it tomorrow.

In place of the \$3 increase bill, the House substituted and passed a bill allowing a \$2 increase, the House will vote on it tomorrow.

It provides that \$250 on every \$1,000 of assessed valuation may be used for departmental purposes.

CLAIM RIGHT TO SELL BEER IN RHODE ISLAND

Providence, Dec. 19.—Rhode Island's chances for selling a per cent. after are good, according to Assistant Attorney-General A. A. Canastota, who, with Attorney-General Thorpe, is here. He has just returned from Washington. Canastota says that the bill amendment of the Constitution reserves to the State the rights of the right to define its liquor laws, and that the State has the right to define what is non-intoxicating.

This was the argument of Attorney-General Thorpe at Washington. Providence liquor dealers are disappointed. William P. Stannard, a State official, that the State has the right to define what is non-intoxicating.

The General Assembly has defined a beer as non-intoxicating. Rhode Island officials it has this right in accordance with the tenth amendment of the Constitution.

JOHN WATSON, HOULTON BUSINESS MAN, DEAD
Houlton, Me., Dec. 19.—John Watson, aged seventy-four, died at his home on Charles street this morning after a long illness of heart trouble. He had been in business in Houlton for over sixty years and was one of the directors of the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad.

BOMBS AND BULLETS FIRED AT LORD FRENCH

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ordered out to round up suspected persons among the Sinn Feiners.

A Dublin report to the Evening Standard late this afternoon said that bombs were hurled at Lord French's automobile, in addition to shots being fired.

According to the Exchange Telegraph there were about fifteen men in the attacking party. One of the shots wounded the driver of the second car following the French.

FRENCH "BLUEBEARD'S" WIFE UNDER ARREST

Paris, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Landru, wife of the so-called French "Bluebeard," who is accused of murdering thirteen women, has been arrested along with her son, Maurice, on a charge of illegal securing valuable goods. It is claimed that Mrs. Landru impersonated Miss. Hulem, alleged daughter of her husband, and secured possession of a valuable stock certificate. Mrs. Landru was accused of receiving stolen property.

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40 velours
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NO MAIL ORDERS—HUNDREDS OF OTHER BARGAIN LOTS—ABOVE TOPS READY SAT. AT 9

SEEK MAN WHO SENT "LEAK" OVER PHONE

Flash on Wire Said Justice Brandeis Would Read "Wet" and "Dry" Decision

By International News Service.
Washington, Dec. 19.—Who flashed the news by long-distance phone from Washington last Sunday that Associate Justice Brandeis would be the member of the Supreme Court to read the "wet" and "dry" decision, and how did the man who sent that flash get that information?
This is one of the many angles to the case of the alleged "leak" of Supreme Court decisions upon which Justice Brandeis delivers today, under the direction of the Department of Justice, are working, with the feeling that a correct answer to these questions will go a long way toward the solution of the whole problem.
Three interested witnesses are known to have testified to the fact that the lawyer who claimed he had a way of finding out in advance what Supreme Court decisions would be was in New York on Friday and Saturday preceding the handing down of the "wet" and "dry" decision; that he, in fact, had already possessed accurate knowledge of how the case would be decided and that the Supreme Court decision would be in accordance with the government officials in advance that the lawyer was preparing to back his information on Monday in Wall street with a very large sum of money, and it has been shown that he had arranged a million-dollar credit with a New York broker for this purpose.
On Sunday came the long-distance telephone call from Washington. The New York lawyer, who already knew that the Supreme Court would uphold the constitutionality of the wartime prohibition law, was given the tip that Justice Brandeis would be the one to read the decision. This has been verified by Secret Service agents.

QUINCY TEACHERS GET \$100 TO \$300 INCREASE

The School Committee of Quincy has increased salaries, and as a result the budget of that department will be increased by at least \$62,000 next year. A large percentage of the increase will be reimbursed to the city from the Massachusetts School Fund.
The increases are \$100 for each teacher receiving the maximum salary on January 1, \$100 for elementary teachers with two years normal training, and \$200 for those teachers who had three years' normal training. The \$100 for teachers whose maximum is \$800, plus \$100 per year for each year in service, the amount not to exceed the maximum in any case; \$200 a year for masters' assistance; \$300 to high school assistants.

ACCUSED ARMY CAPTAIN TO HAVE SANITY TESTED

Former Captain Garnett Roman, U. S. A., who was arrested last week in New York, charged with presenting a fraudulent claim for \$750 against the government, was arranged today before Federal authorities and sent to the Psychopathic Hospital for observation. Roman's home is in Guilford. He served eighteen months overseas. Evidence was that he had a false "leave" and signed by an army official named Talbot.

DR. GOODSPEED JAILED AGAIN BY WIFE

Eloping Whitman Dentist Taken for Non-Support When Bailed From Federal Court

Dr. Frank L. Goodspeed, Whitman dentist, arrested by Federal authorities in Los Angeles and brought to Boston several weeks ago charged with violation of the Mann act in eloping with Miss Frost from his office assistant, was today released on bail and immediately re-arrested on another indictment warrant charging non-support of his wife and two children.

Since his return to Boston in November Dr. Goodspeed has been confined in East Cambridge Jail in default of \$1,000 bail. This bail was furnished today by a friend.

Dr. Goodspeed, who accompanied the doctor to California, was released on their return, on her own recognizance, in \$500 bonds, after she had testified that she had accompanied Dr. Goodspeed of her own accord.



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Heather Wool Sport Hose \$2.00
Men's Full Fashioned Silk Stockings \$1.25
Men's Heather Wool Stockings \$1.00

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French Kid Gloves, for dress and street wear, in all colors and styles \$2.00 to \$3.75
Genuine Cape, the proper glove for street wear, in all colors and styles \$2.50 and \$3.00
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A complete stock of Work and Fur Linings and best quality only \$1.00 to \$9.00

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Boys' Heavy Cotton Stockings—Ribbed—reinforced linen knees, heels and toes. A very durable wearing hosiery. Black and colors... **75c**

Children's Black Cotton Stockings—Ribbed—reinforced double heels and toes, at... **85c**

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Of good quality serge, in the regulation sailor style, braid trimmed—one piece model—finished with belt.

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Girls' Rain Capes \$3.29
Of rubberized sateen, in a full cut model with hood attached. Sizes 4 to 14 years.

Girls' and Junior Middy Blouses—Regulation style—with all white or colored collars. Sizes from 6 to 30 years... **\$1.98**

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Easel style 16" x 22" Eraser and chalk with each board.

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8 pieces of fine aluminum ware for doll's kitchen.

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Of splendid quality blanket-rib, in pretty pink and blue floral patterns. A most useful and welcomed gift for the little girl. 6 to 10 years.

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Of fine count pique—neat black and white—also fancy stripe effects—with soft double cuffs attached. All sizes.

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Sweaters—Coat style or Slip-ons, all sizes, well made... **\$5.00 to \$12.00**

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\$2.00 A Week

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Give Records
Four Records (8 choice selections)... **\$3.40**
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Ten Records (20 choice selections)... **\$8.50**
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Make your own assortment. Song, Story, Melody, Dance and Opera. We will send it with your card enclosed.

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Sure to Be Appreciated

All Wool Chinchilla Overcoats \$18.00

Best quality, in full double-breasted button-to-neck or convertible collar models—fully belted. Blue, brown and gray. Plaid worsted linings. For boys 3 to 10 years.

Bath Robes \$4.98 and \$6.98
Excellent, heavy blanket robes, smart patterns in overplaids or floral designs for boys 8 to 16 years. A gift sure to meet with approval.

Play Suits \$1.39 to \$4.98
Indian, Cowboy, Scout and Soldier Suits, suitably trimmed. Blouses or coats, pants or breeches, hats, lariats, knapsack, leggings, belt, holster and pistols.

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ROBBER SHOTS POLICEMAN IN NEWTON

Wounded Officer Returns Fire
and Forces Burglars to
Abandon Loot

Despite the fact that a burglar's bullet was imbedded in his throat, Patrolman Henry Longfellow fired two shots at the fleeing gunmen and forced them to leave their booty behind in the break at No. 421 Washington street, Newton. The story as told by the officer is: "I went in back of the laboratory store when I saw a man come and the back door where I was going to try the lock. He was carrying a bag bundle, and I was just going to ask him what he was doing when he stepped aside and a man I had not seen, back of him, fired at me. "The bullet struck me in the throat and it knocked me down. I saw the two men running away and fired two shots after them. I was able to reach the box and give the alarm. I made them leave their plunder away." Patrolman Timothy Cronin, who was a mile away, heard the two shots and ran to the scene. John Peters, a taxi driver, reported to the Boston police that four men hired his cab on Harvard street and offered him \$10 to drive them to Newtonville. Two of them returned to where he was waiting and left the taxi at K-nall square, Cambridge, without paying.

Pastor Who Isn't 'Fool' Nor 'Prize Fighter' Seeks a Church

A Congregational minister who wants a church in New England advertises as follows in the current number of the Congregationalist: "I am thirty years old, studious and quiet. Not a witling. In social gatherings I am pleasant, but make no pretensions of being a social butterfly. I am a public entertainer, but a gentleman. Neither am I a prizefighter nor a gambler. I am not a bowing society with young people. I regard the eight-hour day as a social principle and good even for ministers. "I am diligent in parish, but do not like to be a minister. I am a drinker. I pay my debts. I am 5 ft. 2 in. tall, weight, 125 pounds. I want \$2500 a year. "I do not want much to do with people's clubs. I am unmarried. Apply to Rev. ANN, care of the Congregationalist, No. 12 Boston street."

The fate, he said he heard no shots, though he was much nearer the spot than Cronin.

FINE THREE CLINTON MEN FOR PROMOTING BOXING

Clinton, Dec. 18.—Dr. Harry C. Duxbury, James T. Ruane and George M. Johnston, charged with promoting public boxing matches, were found guilty in the local court today and fined \$125 each, or \$100 on one count and \$25 each on the second count. They appeared and were held in \$100 each for the January session of the Superior Court at Worcester.

SEE LEADERS OF G. O. P. LOOKING AT LOWDEN

If Reports Are True, Coolidge
Has 'Lost' Four Bay State
Congressmen

Congressman John Jacob Rogers of Lowell and Congressman Samuel H. Winlow, the Worcester state maker, also refused to "sign their" on the Coolidge-for-President petition, according to reports which come over from Washington. The source of these reports is close to Charles S. Baxter, who is stated today that every one may judge as to its accuracy.

If the reports are true, Mr. Rogers failed to carry at least four of the thirteen Republican Congressmen from this State for Governor Coolidge.

Congressman Fuller of Malden and William of New Bedford, declining to sign, said quite frankly that if the State is looking for a favorite son, why look beyond Mr. Lodge?

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eventually will be found supporting Governor Lowden of Illinois for President. "John and my friend Frank" used to serve together in Congress. Mr. Weeks is, and has always been, with that wing of the party which is now supporting Lowden.

Mr. Crane, too, according to the press reports, "discouraged support of Governor Lowden during his recent visit to Washington."

Those friends who are sincere in their advocacy of the Coolidge Presidential campaign are aware that the group may be pulled out at any time. Delegates who support their election on the local popularity of some favorite son have been known to shift on the second ballot to the gentleman who was the real and actual candidate of the party strategy.

Chairman Frank B. Hall of the Republican State Committee, a candidate for district delegate, announced as his slogan, "Unpledged-Coolidge first choice." The Governor's friends suspect that Hall has a vote for Lowden up his sleeve. They would also be pleased to have Hall prove to them that it was not he who "started the rumor" that Coolidge is hostile to speaker clients as a big four candidate.

Mr. Baxter arrived in Miami, Fla., before departing for his Christmas vacation he told his friends that Governor Coolidge would not be allowed to capture the Massachusetts delegation without a contest.

En route to the South he stopped long enough to send a statement to the papers that the Seibold story in the World that "Mr. Crane was responsible for Governor Coolidge's victory" was, to say the least, inaccurate. "Crane's attitude was to soft-

pedal everything," said Baxter. "The fight was won by the sense men of the party who went out on the line."

Baxter is determined to have an independent Big Four slate in the field, headed probably by former Governor McCall. The latter's feelings have been wounded because he has been ignored in the organization's discussions of the slate. "He declines the Tribune Court judge offered him by Governor Coolidge that may be taken as a certain indication that he will run."

Congressman Fuller, who declined to sign the Coolidge petition, and former Lieutenant-Governor Louis A. Proctor, and Governor's friends, are also mentioned as possible members of the Baxter Big Four ticket.

Baxter himself is thinking of running. The new law forbids the grouping of candidates and unless an Avon, an Adams or an Anderson name would be put on the ballot.

He has faith in alphabetical advantage. Baxter will finally declare for General Leonard Wood. That is "made info" as the boys say who gather four or five nights a week at the athletic encounters that have again come into popularity.

On his way back from the Southland, Baxter will stop off at Washington to meet General Wood. He also has an appointment at Bridgewater with John T. King, the millionaire manufacturer, Connecticut member of the Republican national committee, and said to be one of the custodians of the Wood boom.

Speaking of "favorite sons" General Wood is a legal resident of Massachusetts. The political propagand-

ing, served with credit in the Legion and says, in part: "The official notice of the candidacy for President of William Johnson must fill the heart of every man who reveres the name of Roosevelt with gladness. Two great-hearted, two-fisted fighters for the square deal. One has gone to his reward, his memory enshrined with that of Lincoln. Into the other's hands the torch is thrown and he will keep the faith."

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Boys' High Storm leather, sizes 2 to 6. \$4.69

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Children's Knee Rubber Boots. Size 5 to 10 1/2. Special. \$1.89

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DEAN MURDER PLOT DENIED BY BERNSTORFF

Former German Ambassador Flouts All Connection with East Jaffrey Trime

Berlin, Dec. 18.—"It's all rot," declared Count Johann Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, when shown a story in a Boston newspaper of recent date to the effect that he had been mentioned in the inquiry into the murder of Dr. William K. Dean of East Jaffrey, N. H.

"I have only been in New Hampshire once, for a labor day holiday, in 1916, when we stayed with friends in Dublin and returned to New London, Ct., with 'Colonel House,' said the count.

East Jaffrey, N. H., Dec. 18.—Winchendon, just over the line in Massachusetts, was, for a time, included in the system of military signals established throughout the southern part of New Hampshire while American troops were engaged in the World War.

The wives of two officers in the United States army, who were stopping at Toy Tavern in Winchendon, became suspicious of the conduct of a fashionable young woman, who occupied a room in the annex of the hotel. They complained of hearing strange noises at night, and claimed that this young woman showed bright lights at the window of her bedroom.

After doing some sleuthing on their own account, the wives of the American officers claimed to have been convinced that the young woman in question was a German agent and that she had a miniature wireless equipment in her room.

REPORTED SUSPICIONS. They reported their suspicions to the Intelligence Department at Camp Devens, in Ayer, Mass., in the Summer of 1918, and State Officer Lawrence Schuchard, who did special duty with other State officials in and around the cantonment, was assigned to the case.

He said: "I went to the Toy Tavern in Winchendon and found it to be located on a high hill. There was a fine outlook from the window of the woman's room. She was quite a society woman in her dress and general appearance. She claimed to be a well-known magazine editor."

"There was a copper covering of the roof of the annex of the inn and the wives of the American officers told me they could hear sounds which resembled a telegraph instrument. They had also seen lights in this woman's window at uncommon hours of the night and they were very bright lights, apparently used by electric, according to the testimony which I gathered."

"I was very suspicious of the woman and the facts in the case after interviewing all the witnesses, and I made a long, superfluous report which I submitted to the Intelligence Department at Camp Devens and which I was later informed had gone to the War Department at Washington."

"MOONLIGHT LUNCH PARTIES." The Winchendon case was similar to cases reported from all the communities hereabout. All the mountain inns and taverns were infested by mysterious persons, men and women, during the critical months of the war.

If they didn't engage apartments at mountain inns, they bought or leased farms in advantageous locations. The prolonged stay of these persons excited the curiosity of fellow guests. No definite action appears to have been taken in this region to suppress nefarious operations which were a menace to the peaceful communities hereabout and more especially a menace to the success of the American arms overseas. The manner in which evidence corroborating all of these operations, has been pouring in of late, not only shows the magnitude of the organization but the skill and daring with which enemy agents worked among unsuspecting country folk.

DECLARES OIL OUTPUT OF MEXICO INCREASES

Washington, Dec. 18.—The Mexican embassy today issued a formal denial of rumors which are being spread with a view of making the American people believe that the Mexican petroleum industry is decreasing. A statement issued by the embassy declared that the potential daily capacity of all oil wells at the end of the present year was 1,400,000 barrels, and today it is over 2,000,000. Lack of vessels for transportation has caused the output to be restricted, the statement said.

PERSONAL INTERVIEW TO DECIDE MOVIE WINNER



Miss Madeline Baccos of No. 343 Hampden street, Chicago, a Clara Kimball Young movie contestant.

This is the last day of the motion picture contest for a candidate to succeed Clara Kimball Young, whose "ages of youth" at the Waldorf Theatre proved her to be an exceptional actress of the very highest rank.

Photographs received after midnight tonight will not be considered. During the sixteen days this contest has been running, everybody interested has had time to have a picture made and no excuse will be accepted.

Twenty times as many pictures have been received as have been published, and many of the most attractive contestants have not seen their photographs reproduced in the paper because of lack of space.

The judges will make their decision upon the actual photographs and not upon the newspaper reproductions. They will pick out half a dozen of the most promising candidates and will summon them to personal interviews. As a result of what is learned regarding the intelligence, ambition, education and appearance and from what the judges know of the technical side of motion pictures the candidate will be chosen.

It frequently happens that a girl who takes a beautiful photograph in a studio where she is carefully posed with film in action very badly and these things have to be guarded against. The American filmippies, the lucky candidate with a beautiful

100'S LEFT TO RESUME WAR RISK INSURANCE

Service men who dropped their War Risk Insurance after their tour have until December 31 to take the insurance again, regardless of the last premium was paid. The Red Cross is active in urging men to keep up their insurance and urge all to resume it. If they do not think they need to pay the premium on the one \$10,000 policy, if discharged within three months and less than twelve months it is necessary that the health is as good as at date of discharge.

CARUSO'S NEW CHILD TO BE NAMED GLORIA

New York, Dec. 18.—"Gloria" is the name chosen by Enrico Caruso, famous tenor, for the "Christmas baby" born to Mrs. Caruso last night, according to friends of the family. The singer is elated over the birth of a daughter, as he already has two sons by a former marriage. Announcement was made that both Mrs. Caruso, who was Dorothy Park, formerly a society leader, and her child are doing very well.

FIVE DEAD, TEN HURT IN VIRGINIA WRECK

Rancho, Va., Dec. 18.—Five men were dead today and ten others injured as the result of a train

and collision when the Memphis special over the Norfolk & Western Railway ran into the rear of Norfolk & Western passenger train No. 1 at a water tank half a mile from Walden, Va., last night. The victims were in three wooden coaches attached to train No. 4, two of the coaches being demolished.

BEN HIGGINS, OLDEST CAMBRIDGE OFFICER, DEAD

Patrolman Ben Higgins, one of the oldest members of the Cambridge force, died today, following an operation. He was 80, a U. S. veteran and was appointed to the force in 1873, having always been stationed at Station 2 as a signal man. He is survived by a widow.

TURKS AND ARABS MOVING ON BAGDAD

London, Dec. 18.—A force of Turkish and Arab troops is moving down the Euphrates in the direction of Bagdad, the Daily Express learns. It is hinted the force may be in contact with the British troops.

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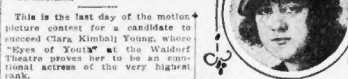
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Miss Eleanor W. Wood, above, of No. 1961 Commonwealth avenue, and Miss Winifred Lambard of No. 198 Hamilton street, Cambridge, who hope to succeed Clara Kimball Young.

trip ticket to California, but hopes the selection will be made with such skill that only half the ticket will have to be used, that the girl who wins will stay in California as become a movie star.

BURNED BY TAKING ACID FOR COLD CURE

Through taking acid by mistake for cold cure, Dr. Charles R. Rand of No. 24 Summer street, Lynn, a dentist, was badly burned. Dr. Rand was taken suddenly sick with a cold and went to the shelf for medicine. He was removed to the Lynn Hospital.

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THE new Morse Haberdashery Shops are brimful of choice merchandise suitable for Christmas gifts for men.

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\$1.00 per pair. Lisle web in an attractive holiday box. Suspenders and Garter combination. \$1.50 a box.

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At \$2.50 per suit. Others up to \$20.00 per suit. Pajamas, madras, mercerized materials and pure silk, neat stripes and plain colors.

MEN'S BATHROBES

A popular gift this season. Large roomy lion robe. New designs and all sizes. Other grades up to \$30.00.

MEN'S KNITTED NECKWEAR

\$1.85. A special lot. A big variety for a selection that cannot be duplicated at this price by anyone.

MEN'S GLOVES

Genuine Arabian Mocha, which is pronounced the best. Plain or embroidered backs at \$4.35 a pair.

MEN'S HEADWEAR

Look at the Velours in the Hat department. Just the thing at this Holiday time. They are specially priced at \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00. Heavy Commemorative Cap Specials at \$3.00 and \$4.00. Others at \$2.50 and \$3.00.

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ORANGE LEADER REVEALS HOW LINEN TRUST SUPPORTS CARSONISM

UNTER LINE SOUTH W '61, SAYS CRAWFORD

SECOND INSTALLMENT.

By LINDSAY CRAWFORD, President of the Independent Order of Orange Lodges, former member of the National Synod of the Church of Ireland, President of the Friends of Ireland, and Editor of the Statesman, Toronto, Canada.

For the majority of the Irish people it was the claim of absolute certainty that they never at any period assisted to the aid of a man who was the chief of the nation, down to the days of Parnell and Redmond, which has been never surrendered.

The Sinn Féin movement took as the basis of its demands the inviolable right of Ireland to the restoration of O'Connell's Constitution, which has been wrested from Ireland by force and fraud.

HISTORICAL PARALLEL.

On that incontestable right of Ireland the republic was proclaimed in 1916, thereby following in the track of the United Provinces, which in the hidden hand of British interference in the government of Ireland, the necessity of putting an end once for all to that golden line of the crown which today in every British dominion is a menace to the unbroken evolution of national life.

In discussing the opposing arguments of the Carsons on one hand and the Sinn Féin on the other, we come back to the two tests which I have previously referred to. Namely, what are the grounds upon which the opponents of the Irish Republic rest their appeal for the support of the American people, and secondly what are the grounds upon which President De Valera rests his case for the recognition of the Irish Republic?

OPPOSERS IMPERIALIST.

In all the speeches delivered before the Foreign Relations Committee in Washington, and by the Ulster delegates in New York, the angle of approach is imperial and not democratic. British and not American.

For example the speech of Ray, Louis Crooks, Methodist minister of Belfast, in which he lauds the Republic of America and claims to be animated by the same principles that led President Lincoln to oppose secession.

Who will assert that the Republic was forced by fraud and corruption into an unwarlike attitude with the North, or that they in any degree correspond to the position occupied by the Sinn Féin in Ireland?

On the contrary, all the historical facts prove incontrovertibly that the Carsons represent the secession of '61, and that Sinn Féin Ireland alone can lay claim to be the principal of the United States, which has saved the American nation.

It is not without interest at this stage to recall the fact that the same

eighteenth century, which drove the Protestants in thousands from Ulster, and which at a later period led to the flag of Republicanism in Ireland. These Ulster delegates represent a new oligarchy, a new Protestant ascendancy, which has succeeded to the old oligarchy of the past in the eighteenth century, down to the middle of the nineteenth century, it was the State Church which imposed its ascendancy upon Protestant dissent and Catholic alike.

THREAT BACKS CARSON.

Down to the year 1940, no Presbyterian minister could validly perform a ceremony of marriage in Ireland, and so late as the twentieth century Protestants of the north handed themselves together in political movements to secure a fair share of the public offices and government patronage, which had hitherto been the monopoly of the Protestant Established Church.

On the ruins of the State Church and landlord ascendancy there came into existence a new oligarchy which owed its rise to the commercial revolution of the nineteenth century. Today in Ulster this great oligarchy is represented by the great

Lincoln Trust, which is the power behind Carson.

The aim of this Lincoln Trust, as the main purpose of the State Church and landlordism in past days, is reviving the repeal of the Union, and is raising the religious cry in furtherance of this end, to keep Protestant and Catholic workers apart, and thereby maintain labor conditions that are worse than in any other industrial center in the United Kingdom.

This Lincoln Trust enterprise, upon which the prosperity of Ulster is founded, employs almost exclusively women and children, thus assuaging male labor, and making a cheap commodity of labor in any other part of the United Kingdom.

PATRIOTIC LABOR.

Women in these Ulster factories before the war have been known to work for 2 cents an hour, the highest wages paid being about \$2.50 a week.

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ment, that the average life of the female worker in the Ulster linen factories did not exceed thirty years.

EXPLOIT IRISH LABOR.

On these appalling economic foundations there has been built up the greatest shipbuilding industry. The great firm of Harland and Wolff, which is of world-wide fame, is not less than the chiefest labor market in the Ulster enterprise. Harland and Wolff, a German engineer, and Wolf, a German financier, conceived the idea of competing with English and Scottish builders by taking up the casual labor of Ireland and utilizing it

in the building enterprise. This is why this great firm, which has to import its coal and iron, has been able to flourish on the Lagan.

It found labor cheap in Ireland, and the credit for utilizing this labor, therefore, does not belong to the Ulster magnates who are led by Carson, but to these far-seeing men who were drawn to the Ulster labor market.

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and denounced as a traitor because he threw in his lot with Ireland in her demand for self-determination.

NEEDED MORE AT HOME.

If these Ulster Protestant oligarchs are really desirous of helping Ulster, they can find better means for employment for their energies at home than in the American continent, as the delegates of Carson and Lord Beaverbrook.

A few years ago the non-subscribing prohibition of the Ulster Unionist Council.

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Filene's Give blouses

Carol singing every morning and evening

If you would be sure to please

\$3.75: variation of the Peter Pan blouse for women

\$4.75: crepe de Chine, the business woman's standby.

\$5.75: the slim woman's friend, (frilled) Georgette.

\$10: Georgette with flared pattern for women.

THE eight styles sketched were selected as sure guides. They are by actual test the blouses women and misses buy for themselves. All make gifts that look as though they cost more.

WOMEN'S BLOUSES

sketched above

Sketched 1, 63. Peter Pan blouses in batiste, pique, cuffs and buttons are embroidered with tiny rouches.

Sketched 2, 66.75. Crepe de Chine blouses, the business woman's standby; elaborately embroidered sailor collar; white and flesh.

Sketched 3, 86.75. The slim woman's friend, (frilled) Georgette in the Valenciennes edging.

Sketched 4, 810. Women's white and flesh Georgette blouses; the flared pattern looks real.

150 women's Georgette blouses at \$5.75

(Filene's—mail orders filled—fourth floor)

Misses' fine navy blue serge dresses, \$22.50

Do you like a vest? An over-skirt? Both are found in these navy blue dresses from the Misses' Lower Priced Dress Shop. Sizes 14 to 20, \$22.50.

—Misses' jersey tunic dresses, \$15 to \$22.50.

(Filene's—mail orders filled—fourth floor)

MISSSES' BLOUSES

Sketched 1, 87.20. Misses' short sleeve theatre and tea blouses of Georgette, flesh and white; the deep circular yoke goes far over the shoulders.

Sketched 2, 83. Misses' striped down tailored blouses for school or office; lavender, pink and blue stripes; collar and cuffs of white pique.

Sketched 3, 83.50. For misses who date on tailored blouses; baliste, high necked, with vest of cross ticking.

Sketched 4, 87.50. Misses' plaided crew neck dainty blouses, hemstitched in color—rose, turquoise, pink, navy, brown.

(Filene's—mail orders filled—fourth floor)

Give LASTING things—like LUGGAGE

A luggage shop, here, noted for its Filene values

Women's fitted suit cases, \$36 (including) war tax

Of long seal-grained cowhide, silk lined and fitted with "Parisian Ivory" toilet set of comb, hair brush, mirror, scissors, nail file, button hook, tooth powder holder, tooth and nail brush container.

Men's or women's professional bags, \$2.85

Of cowhide, brown or black, sewed frames, drill lined, roomy and serviceable.

Women's lightweight suit cases, \$6.50 to \$15

At \$6.50, sturdy case; at \$12.50 and \$15, brown cowhide; at \$25, black cowhide, silk lined.

"Taxi" NEVERBREAK wardrobe trunks, lowest price in two years \$24.75

Luggage shop for all the family—second floor

C. F. Hovey Co.

Established 1841

MERCHANDISE UP TO A STANDARD

SPEED ACCURACY SATISFACTION

HOVEY SERVICE IS UNEXCELLED

For Saturday Shoppers

A gentleman, qualified to judge and without influencing association with any one metropolitan mercantile establishment, told us that Hovey Service was the best in town this Christmas.

It is an attainment which we have strenuously striven for these last several months.

Christmas shoppers will find a great deal of satisfaction in our expert first floor service. Cash registers, ample stocks, extra wrappers and carefully trained salespeople are the more important reasons why Hovey First Floor Service is considered the best in Boston this Christmas Season.

Plan to reach Hovey's early Saturday morning, and you will be surprised how quickly you can get through your Christmas list.

"The Store of the Christmas Spirit."

NATURE HEALING SCARS OF WAR, ARTIST FINDS

Creator of "Bringing Up Father"
Finds It Hard to Detect
Tracks of Battle

By GEORGE McMANUS.
The famous artist, originator of
"Bringing Up Father," has been
written especially for International
Harvester.

Special cable dispatch.
THIRTY DAYS' experience with
war has not made it any easier
to see the battle scars. I have
been a soldier of the time and
a being rapidly cleaned up in
real, thorough American man-
ner. It is difficult to detect
tracks of the war in my face.
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BOY DIES INSTANTLY
WHEN HIT BY AUTO

Who's Who ON BOSTON'S NEW POLICE FORCE



A. N. BEAUVAIS.

He is a native of
Boston and has been
in the police force
for several years.

MIDNIGHT MASS BY CARDINAL AT CATHEDRAL

Officials at Solemn High Xmas
Day in Singing of New
Mass for First Time

Cardinal O'Connor
will preside at the
solemn midnight mass
at the cathedral to-
night. The mass will
be the first of the
new mass for the
first time.

they, Dr. O'Connor, director of the
Broughton of the Path, the new
William E. O'Connor, Dr. O'Connor
and the new mass for the first
time.

WILL SING NEW MASS.
In addition to celebrating the mid-
night mass, the cardinal will pre-
side at the new mass for the first
time.

RED CROSS USES PHONES
TO AID SEAL CAMPAIGN
The Red Cross is using
phones to aid the seal
campaign. The phones
will be used to call
the sealers and to
report the progress of
the campaign.

For a Boy's Christmas



Better than all the
jimeracks and folderols
in the world is some use-
ful, wanted thing for him to
wear. If you choose it here, it
will be the best of its kind, for
we carry nothing else, and our
prices are no less attractive
than the styles and qualities.

Xtragood Suits and O'coats

Suits (for Big Boys) are \$13.50 to \$25

Overcoats

Sizes 3 to 10

\$13.50 to \$21.50

Other Overcoats at \$10, \$11.50, Etc.

Overcoats

up to 19 years

\$16.50 to \$32.50

Juvenile Suits

\$7.50 to \$13.50

Skating Coats

\$16.50 to \$25

Best Wool Mackinaws \$8.50 to \$14.50

Bath Robes

Sizes 6 to 18

Small Ones, \$3.25

Large Ones, \$4.25, \$4.75

Rubber Coats

Black or tan jean

Sizes Up to 18

\$4.50

Hat to match, 75c

Blouses

85c to \$1.95

Shirts

95c to \$6.00

Boys' Belts

Initial Buckles 95c

Others 65c and Up

Neckwear

35c to \$1.25

Jersey Leggings

Sizes Up to 8

\$1.95

Boy Scout Suits

\$3.50 to \$5.00

Wool Sweaters

\$4.95 and Up

Also Flannel Shirts, Blouses and Pajamas, Black Cat
Hosiery, Munsingwear Underwear, Winter Hats, Caps
and Gloves—in short, you'll find here—

Everything for Boys to Wear

Open
Saturday
Evenings

Kennedy's

Summer
and
Hawley
Streets

Live Boys' Store

Kennedy's—The Live Store



The House of Kuppenheimer Copyright 1919

Tremendous Stock of Overcoats

from Kuppenheimer
and other good makers

Every good style is here
in long, short and medium lengths, loose
cut and form-fitting, single breasted and
double, belted and plain, and plenty of each.

Every coat is a good coat—
the very best of its kind that the market affords
—and the prices are ever so much less than what
we would have to pay at wholesale for these same coats today

So if you want a good
overcoat and want to pick it from the
largest stock and widest variety and
want to get the biggest value for your money there
is going—here's the store for you.

Kuppenheimer O'coats

Not up around \$100, as you might expect, but

\$35 \$40 \$45 \$50 etc.

Other Makes from \$25 up
Suits at the same prices

Open Saturday Evening

Kennedy's

New England's Largest, Livest, Leading Men's Store

Summer and Hawley Street

One of these Specialty Coats

makes a real gift
for a real he-man

We enumerate the most popular
styles below. At these prices, they
are all extreme values.

36in. Suede Cloth Coats \$32.50
Leather lined throughout and with
raccoon collar

Sheep-Lined Coats

Full length ulsters with Wombat, Rac-
coon or Opossum collars.

\$30 \$40 \$45 \$50

Short coats with Wombat or

Beaverized collars \$16.50

8-inch Molecloth coats, trimmed

with Opossum collar \$23.50

38-inch coats of Brown suede

cloth \$32.50

Leather Coats

Long coats reversing to Gabar-
dine \$65.00

Reversing to Tweeds in green

and brown mixtures \$70.00

Black leather reversing

to Tweed \$68.00

Short coats reversing to \$25 and \$35

Gabardine \$28.50, \$32.50

Short coats, not reversible

Leatherette coats not \$20.00

reversible \$35.00

Leatherettes that reverse to

suede \$35.00

Mackinaws

Famous western makes in heather mix-
tures, plain blues, plain grays and plain
browns.

\$12.00 \$15.00

Open Saturday Evenings

Kennedy's

THE LIVE STORE

Summer & Hawley Sts.

GERMAN WAR PRISONER LAUDS FUND AND DONATES \$25

Continued from First Page.

The grand total of the basket fund is \$10,000. Included in the amount is a personal donation of \$25 from Mr. Collins, which makes the total of \$10,025 that he has given to the fund.

Of the \$25, Mr. Collins is the second largest contributor in the United States to the fund. The fund is a fund for the relief of German war prisoners. It is a fund for the relief of German war prisoners. It is a fund for the relief of German war prisoners.

here in Boston so it will be greater than that in any of the cities where Mr. Heust conducted this great project to feed the poor at Christmas. The spirit displayed by Mr. Collins was contagious and in a very brief time the great total at the meeting had mounted to nearly one thousand dollars. At the conclusion three roasting chafers for the basket fund were given.

It developed after the meeting that the sales force of the H. V. Dress Company was planning to give their energetic general manager an expensive Christmas present. A collection had been started with that end in view. Mr. Collins got wind of it and passed the word around that he would much prefer to have the men give whatever they wished toward a gift for him to the American Basket Fund so that the thing would have something to eat at the table.

HELP PROVIDE NEEDY WITH CHRISTMAS DINNERS



Miss Ruth Foster, left at top, and Miss Amy Kingston, right, who are moving their services in aid of the Basket Fund, Peter Larkin, below at left, who has contributed 2500 packages of tea to the fund, and Miss Sylvia Carol, an eager worker for this cause.

JOHN FERGUSON NOT TRAGEDY, SAYS ACTRESS

Heroine of Irish Play Admits She Secured Accent from Former Maid

By FRED J. MCLAUGHLIN
The heroine of the play "The Honeymoon" who is the first of John Ferguson's plays to be produced in the city, is not a tragedy, says the actress who plays the part of the heroine, Miss Helen Friel.

MISS HELEN FRIEL MAN, heroine of "John Ferguson," and largely re- sponsible for the produc- tion of the famed play.



RESOLUTIONS ASK FAIR DEAL FOR EDWARDS

Salem and Haverhill Y. D. Veterans Praise Former Commander

The action of the War Department in "punishing" officers who participated in the "Black Legion" has been met with a response of resolutions from the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Salem and Haverhill.

30 Years of scientific bread- making has produced

T. H. BEST'S
CELEBRATED
MILK BREAD
BEST IN THE WORLD

The Favorite Loaf of Wise Housewives

CRCCK'S BAKING CO.
21 HILLSBORO ST., BOSTON

Established in 1839 The E. B. Horn Co. Xmas Gift Specials

Our 80 years' experience in buying and selling diamonds, watches and jewelry and our cash purchasing power enables you to save many dollars on Christmas gifts purchased at our store.



Solitaire Diamond Rings \$50, \$65, \$80, \$100 to \$500

Extra Value, blue white sparkling diamonds, free from flaws. Latest style high Tiffany settings. Such an endless variety that when you come to a selection is an easy matter.

We carry the Largest Stock of Diamonds in New England



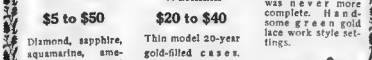
Men's Stone Rings \$8 to \$25

A wide selection of stone-set men's rings. Heavy solid gold settings. Most acceptable as Christmas Gifts.



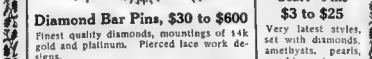
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CASEY SURE TO BE IN HARVARD LINEUP AT PASADENA

By CHARLES E. PARKER

Assurances that Eddie Casey's indisposition, resulting from a slight cold, would not affect his chances of appearing in the crimson lineup against Oregon on New Year's Day, were forthcoming this morning.

Casey did not practice with the team owing to his cold, but attended his classes and disposed himself about Cambridge and in town apparently none the worse for the slight affliction.

Owing to the prominence made of his illness and the intense cold of yesterday and today, many Harvard enthusiasts became quite worried, but Casey himself has assured them that they need not fear his absence when the team engages Oregon.

The final practice, prior to the Crimson departure for the coast, has been staged, and from the attention being accorded the forward pass, both offensively and defensively, it would appear that aerial football is being prominently in the play of both teams.

The Harvard party, which with the Boston newspaper man will comprise a total of 40 persons, leaves for the West tomorrow at 8 p. m. It is expected a large delegation of Harvard students will be on hand to cheer the team on its journey.

Major Earl W. Moore, graduate instructor of athletics, has announced the itinerary of Harvard's trip as follows: The team will leave the South Ripton at 2 p. m. Saturday, will arrive in Chicago at 11 p. m. Sunday reception and entertainment at the Harvard Club, Chicago, will be given on the Tuesday and 7 p. m. p. m. Sunday, will arrive at 11 p. m. Monday, will arrive at San Francisco at 6 p. m. Wednesday, will remain in San Francisco Christmas Eve and Christmas Day until 8 p. m., will leave San Francisco at that hour, arriving in Los Angeles Friday morning.

The passing of Yale Camp as an official figure in Yale football affairs was a place with the shelving of Al Sharpe and the summing up of Ted Jones. The unexpectedness of all three surprises somewhat belies the official announcement from New Haven that all things are serene, and that these generally regarded uprisings are nothing but the gradual working out of a long conceived plan of athletic reorganization.

Perfect understanding may prevail between Captain Callahan, Al Sharpe and the Yale football committee, but even now will have to admit such perfect understanding has a queer way of asserting itself.

It was expected that Vance McCormick's inability to participate actively with the Yale board would lead to a change in at least one of its members. But both Vance and Joseph Swan have been active in Yale football matters.

Brins, those who succeed McCormick as chairman, has devoted much time to Yale football for many years, and his advice is always earnestly sought. In the absence of McCormick, it is expected Mr. Thorne acted as chairman last fall.

The other members of the committee are John H. Ellsworth of New York, captain of the track

Don't Miss Parker's Day-by-Day Stories of Harvard Trip

Charles E. Parker, the Boston American's football expert, will accompany the Harvard football team on the trip to Pasadena, which starts tomorrow. Mr. Parker will furnish readers of the American's sport pages with interesting stories of each day's progress of the journey to the coast and return, and a complete account of the game with Oregon on New Year's Day.

Dudley S. Bean, famous Harvard quarterback, in commenting on Mr. Parker's football articles this fall, characterized him as "A Boston writer who knows football and writes what he knows." Walter Camp has extended his congratulations on his All-American team. Nathan A. Tufte, leading football official, declared him to be "a real football expert with a thorough knowledge of the game." Lawrence Perry, sporting editor of the New York Evening Post, styled him as "a football writer with a solid background of achievement." And throughout his career as a football writer Mr. Parker has been liberally cited in the newspapers of the entire country.

Mr. Parker attended Woburn High School, Mt. Vernon Academy and Dartmouth College. He knows football from the viewpoint of a player, an official and a football enthusiast, and for the past eight years, except for the ten-month months he served in the forces of the U. S. Army as first lieutenant of infantry, his writings have entertained and informed New England football fans as have the writings of no other football man.

Don't miss the stories of the daily doings on the cross-country trip, or his account of the great contest at Pasadena.

Downes to Box McRae at Suffolk Show Monday Night

Johnny Downes, South Boston heavyweight, and Howard McRae, a Cambridge boxer, have been paired to meet in the future bout of two rounds at the Suffolk A. A. show at 8 p. m. Monday night, December 22, at the Suffolk A. A. show. Downes, who is a champion of New England, will be recently defeated by McRae, who is a champion of the East. Downes, who is a champion of the East, will be recently defeated by McRae, who is a champion of the East.

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Harvard Squad Wins Up Home Practice for Game at Pasadena

Harvard has wound up its term of preparation for the Oregon game. The team leaves at 8 o'clock with thirty-three of the Harvard contingent aboard, and a dozen more accompanying them.

There will be no dress clothes taken along. The players made that plain each in his own mind, and the result was a wonderful Western impression of a Harvard athletic team.

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GREEN FIVE ALL SET FOR HARD XMAS TRIP

Haverhill, N. H., Dec. 18.—The Dartmouth basketball team is all set for the Christmas vacation.

Six games will be played on consecutive evenings, starting with the Dartmouth team at New York on January 1.

The team then goes to Philadelphia, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 2, and to New York on January 3, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 4.

The team then goes to New York on January 5, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 6, and to New York on January 7, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 8.

The team then goes to New York on January 9, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 10, and to New York on January 11, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 12.

The team then goes to New York on January 13, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 14, and to New York on January 15, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 16.

The team then goes to New York on January 17, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 18, and to New York on January 19, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 20.

The team then goes to New York on January 21, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 22, and to New York on January 23, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 24.

The team then goes to New York on January 25, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 26, and to New York on January 27, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 28.

The team then goes to New York on January 29, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on January 30, and to New York on January 31, where they will play at the University City Y. M. C. A. on February 1.

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JIMMY DUFFY GIVEN VERDICT OVER SIMLER

Lowell, Dec. 18.—Jimmy Duffy of New York received the verdict at the trial of the case against him with the jury.

The jury found Duffy guilty of the crime of which he was charged, and sentenced him to the State Prison for a term of five years.

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West Virginia Will Apologize to Centre

The charges of professionalism made by West Virginia University against certain players on the Centre College football team have been withdrawn and an apology is to be sent to the Kentucky institution.

Roller Polo Results
Fall River, 19; Worcester, 4.
Providence, 5; Worcester, 4.

Worcester Man to File Bill for Sunday Sports
Harry Worcester Smith, park and recreation commissioner, who was responsible for the "Saw up" in Sabbath sports last spring, is again embarked on presenting a new bill to the State Legislature, whereby Sunday sports may be indulged in by all those who are looking for recreation on the Sabbath.

As father of the municipal Parks of Worcester, Mr. Smith believes it is his duty as commissioner to see that those boys who wish to play ball on Sunday have a chance as well as many of their friends who were regularly playing golf on that day.

Delaney Shades Burns
At Lowell, Dec. 18, the Delaneys of Lowell, Mass., defeated the Burns of Lowell, Mass., in a boxing match.

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These Suits and Overcoats, purchased last April, have just arrived, and we will place them on sale at the price we intended to Sept. 1st, which is considerably lower than present prices.

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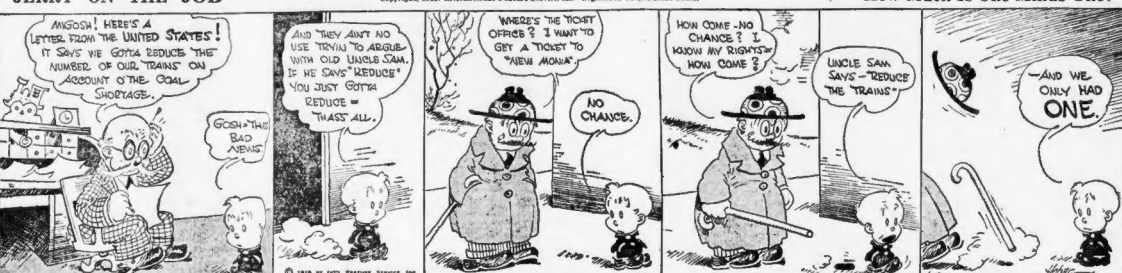
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Bay State Took Evil Way to Settle Jitney Problem

The trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company, the old Bay State, gave the cities of Beverly, Salem and Peabody an ultimatum to the effect that they would cease to operate the cars in those cities if the licenses of the jitneys operating there were not revoked. The licenses were revoked and the cars started again.

This is a new and decidedly evil form of settling a public question by a strike and worst of all it is a strike by public authorities. The trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway are public authorities. They do not represent the private stockholders of this company so much as they represent the public. They are the public trustees operating the road for the public benefit. They have not yet apparently been shot sufficiently through with the proper notion of their public duties.

They do not yet seem to appreciate that public service, and not income from the service, is the prime object of a public function such as a street railway when operated by public authorities. A jitney competing with a street railway, so long as it is patronized, is rendering a useful public service. The proof that it is rendering a useful public service lies in the fact that it is patronized.

Now, it is not proper for a public authority to undertake by means of a strike to coerce and constrain the judgment and conscience of another public authority in order to compel the discontinuance of another kind of public service.

It is high time that somebody with some brains and character in those cities took the proper action to stop the discontinuance of service under the threat of this ultimatum. No new legislation is necessary to stop it. Existing law is ample. The supineness and humility of the City Council of Lawrence is not a good precedent for the city authorities elsewhere.

Commerce Chamber Should Fight Railroads' Return

The Boston Chamber of Commerce, under the administration of President John P. Macomber, has certainly improved its material wellbeing. Its membership is now 4,800, the largest in its history. The internal feuds which embarrassed and impaired the usefulness of the chamber in certain directions have been allayed, if not entirely ended.

The transportation bureau, under William H. Chandler, one of the most competent transportation men in the whole country, has not been wrecked and abandoned as it was proposed last year, but has been strengthened and is a source of great usefulness to Massachusetts and Metropolitan Boston shippers.

The agricultural department has obtained wide interest in its work under Dr. Arthur W. Gilbert, who was recently appointed Massachusetts commissioner of agriculture. The marine and statistical departments have been greatly enhanced under Mr. Macomber. So much for his virtues.

But on the other hand we notice that it is not as resolute in fighting the big evils and in opposing graft schemes backed by powerful interests as it used to be some six or seven years ago. We notice a disposition to aid and abet the return of the railroads to the old private management with all its graft and political corruption and inefficiency. As if this were not enough, we notice that the chamber publication is helping in the propaganda which seeks to make the government agree to pay large dividends to those railroads after they have been returned to private hands.

What a fine thing it would be for this newspaper if the government would agree to pay a profit on our business! What a fine thing it would be in our business if the government agreed to pay us a profit while we were allowed to run it ourselves and to suit ourselves and to make all the profits on the side that we could! What a fine thing, Mr. Reader, it would be for you if the government would undertake to guarantee you good profits on your business whether you managed it wisely or poorly—profits on top of all kinds of little graft which you might take out of your business in the course of it.

This is exactly what the railroad people are trying to get the government to do. They want to take the railroads back into private management, but they do not want to take any risk and they want to be sure that the government pays the bill for all the inevitable mismanagement and inefficiency and corruption which will follow upon the return of the roads to the old managers.

We do not believe that a majority of the members of the Chamber of Commerce approve of any such scheme and if they do not they ought to speak out to their officers. The chamber ought not even to be passive. It ought to be aggressively against it.

Spirit of Young Irishman in Facing Death

The American has received from Edward J. Mahan of Charlton, Mass., a letter in which he says:

Would it be asking too much of your esteemed paper to pass some remarks in the editorial column in regard to the spirit which animates the enclosed letter which was written by the young "Irish Martyr"?

The clipping which he sent us is as follows:

In a letter to a friend on the day preceding his death the beloved and fearless young Commandant, Sean MacDiarmada said:

"I have been sentenced to a soldier's death, to be shot tomorrow morning. I have nothing to say about this, only that I look on it as a part of the day's work—to die that the Irish Nation may live. Our blood will repatriate and rejuvenate the 'Old Land.' Knowing this, it is superfluous to say how happy I feel. I know now what I always felt, that the Irish Nation can never die. Let present-day place-hunters condemn our action as they will; posterity will judge us all right from the effects of our action."

Does anybody think that any remarks by us can add to or take from this letter?

Open Your Heart to the Poor Kids



More Truth Than Poetry



FOR MEDICINAL PURPOSES

By S. E. KISER

WHEN Percy staggers blindly from the car and waits to catch a lampost as it passes, we don't assume that he's been at a bar. Where liquor's slipped across in tiny glasses; more likely he has found some secret place. For up an alley or behind a stable, Where booze may still be purchased by the case, Bearing, perhaps, a "Hair Restorer" label.

If Harold lingers, mingling with the boys, And then strays homeward, making too much noise, And by inglorious ambition fired, We have no reason to suppose that he Obtained it on a promise not to tattle; It's easy still to get it on the plea That something is the matter with our cattle.

BE not too quick to blame the mournful man Who used to huddle out the Tom-and-Jerry, If George or Fred or Dick or Bob or Dan Sits in the gutter, thinking that he's merry; Be sure before you hurry out in search Of stills you may be aching to demolish; Perhaps the boy acquired his leer and lurch By drinking some new "liquid silver polish."

THE jails are being emptied, we are told, Therefore improvement must be spreading daily, But still—sometimes—if one has caught a cold One may be cured, and shuffle onward gayly. The "liniments" and "lotions" multiply, And he is wise in these days who is able— Unless the "doctor" winks a knowing eye— To guess what's in a bottle by the label.



IN CASE ANYBODY TAKES A VACATION

Vice-President Marshall endeavors to keep from appearing to be anxious, but it is alleged that he knows where he can engage the services of a willing mover, at a moment's notice.

AN EASY WAY TO HELP

If you are anxious to do something to make the world better and brighter, buy Red Cross Christmas seals and help to stamp out the white plague.

Shall a Clergyman's Salary Be Raised?

By REV. DR. E. T. TOMLINSON

Executive Secretary of Ministers and Miscellaneous Benefit Board of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States.

MOST of the people in our churches want to do the right thing. The recent agitation in New Haven newspapers for an increase in ministers' salaries has already produced results. In such conservative States as Vermont and others sixty-two per cent of the Baptist pastors have recently received increases in their salaries.

In varying degrees this is true of many other States East and West. The following table showing the average salaries paid Baptist ministers indicates clearly the change which has come since the figures were compiled for the latest United States census:

With one allowance or all that has been said, our ministers are tragically underpaid. A man doing common labor and receiving as much or more than the ministers may live in a few rooms over a stable and dress himself and his family as he pleases.

The minister's family must be presentable in dress and training. Usually he is the most generous giver in his church, and almost literally he "gives" to every man who asks.

Besides, by his personal gifts he protects his church from many an assault of the heers of subscription papers who move upon it like an army with banners.

He must entertain almost as if his home was a free hostelry. If he is to retain his freshness and vigor he must read books and magazines as well as newspapers. He must attend outside meetings to receive as well as to give. He must be a social being, devoted men, who have provided more useful and successful men in American life than any other one source. It is high time for Americans to contrast the fortunes earned by movie actors and the salaries paid faithful, consecrated, devoted men, whose services are given to protect and conserve the life of the nation.

The actual living conditions surrounding our ministers today demand not charity, but justice, to recognize the value of their contributions to the personal, local and national life. The presence of such men in our midst has provided more useful and successful men in American life than any other one source. It is high time for Americans to contrast the fortunes earned by movie actors and the salaries paid faithful, consecrated, devoted men, whose services are given to protect and conserve the life of the nation.

"THE GREAT MOTHER OF THE WORLD"

By Randolph Wellford Smith

(Continued From Yesterday)

THE sooner the work is begun here in Boston in earnest the better. The larger part of the entire city is an invitation to the disease. Basement markets, carpets in the cars, old antiquated buildings, and hotels, ancient furnished room houses, depots where the word hygiene is a mystery and sanitation is a misnomer, all combine to add a warm and genial welcome to the White Plague. The only down town streets to match Boston in the whole wide world are to be found in Hong Kong, China. Those of the other big celestial city, Canton, are, by actual measurement, wider.

Antiquated Hacks.

One does not breathe air along Washington, Bromfield, School and some of the other streets—it is a breath of a thousand human beings, a cloud of sickness and horse hacks at the North Station the other day of the same style and character abandoned in London and other cities some thirty-five years ago. As I entered one of these—there were no taxis to be had, there rarely is when it rains, and the fare is three times higher than in any other city. "How long have you had this rag?" I asked.

"I bought that rag, boss, before de war." "What war?" I again asked. "The real war, air—de war what General Grant won. I don't know nothin' 'bout dese other little scraps."

It would be interesting to know just how many consumptives have breathed into that rag to keep the East winds off.

No place in America is confronted with more serious difficulties in the matter of the disease than Boston. The topography of the city is in itself a disadvantage. In New York and other large cities the foreign population flock in sections to themselves. There is the Ghetto, Little Italy, the Greek quarter, the Irish settlement, Chinatown, etcetera, etcetera. But the Tower of Babel was never more polyglot than Boston. I watched five women trying to hag some fruit from an Algerian fruit vender in Florence street the other day. The efforts of the sextette, not one of which spoke the same language as the other, and, besides, themselves understood would furnish David Warfield with comedy for half a dozen plays. To reach them from people and to enforce the rudimentary rules of prevention is going to be a most serious labor; to conquer the disease itself and to prevent its further spread is a colossal task, requiring ever greater patience. The most stringent health laws and regulations, more numerous public baths and many other accessories will also be needed. It can be done, however, and the first step in the right direction is the purchase of the full quota of Red Cross Christmas Seals.

Unfold the Banner

Once the banner of The Great Mother of the World is unfurled on the hilltop of achievement the battle is half won. How many a heart has soothed, how many hearts she has healed in the record of the angels. Those of us that have looked into the saddest sepulchre of human suffering and into the graves of the multitude of its victims knew as soon as the banner of the Red Cross was unfurled that the world would awaken. And it has awakened.

A great society to fight the disease headed by Robert de Forest and Dr. John S. Billings was formed in New York last Saturday. It is to have \$500,000 to start with, half of which was raised in four days. How many are independent of the National Tuberculosis Association are being formed all over the country. This is the safest prediction imaginable that before the week is out Boston will be well along the way. I have small thought of the boy Boston died. Under the banner of the ancients and the canopy of exclusiveness beat warm and tender hearts.

They will not be harken to the call of The Great Mother for her suffering children.

(THE END)

Today

Have You Any Muskrats?
Matrimony and Hard Cider
Bold British Labor: Weak, Incapable Woman
By Arthur Brisbane

The skin of a dead muskrat was worth 60 cents before the war. It is worth \$3.75 now. Not so long ago you could have bought two sheep for that sum.

Mr. Jinks, formerly with the Marines, has secured an option on 52,000 acres of marsh lands in South Carolina. He won't say what he intends to do with these lands. Haise muskrats, perhaps.

Useful development of land led to the accident of individual purchase enterprise ought to be the work of National and State governments. Such marsh lands developed with adequate capital under the direction of army engineers would produce millions a year in food values and tens of millions of such acres are going to waste.

Jacob Rush, prosperous farmer, is used for divorce within a month of marriage. His wife says he devotes all his attention to a barrel of hard cider. The man's friends say he is a student of our human nature, which hates to be coerced, and prohibition is a shame. If the government had prohibited matrimony instead of alcohol, he would have paid all attention to his wife and neglected the hard cider.

Investigating the coal strike a Federal Judge says he intends to find out "whether the government of the United States or a group of men shall rule this country." It is an important question. But why is it asked only when working men demand more pay? If Adco says coal mine owners were making from 500 to 2,000 per cent profit, yet nobody seemed to get excited about that, nothing happened in court.

A large body of workmen demanding steady work and fair pay is a menace to government. But a small group of men exploiting natural resources and robbing the entire nation, the broken trust methods, is merely "good American business."

The street car trust in New York, which has done as brown stealing as any organization in the country, and that is saying a good deal, declared that it would cut its rate that it must add 3 cents to the street car fare of working men, women and children to earn dividends on its watered stocks and bonds. Its experts say that the transportation trust's "cost" \$800,000 a year. It carries two billion names to its credit.

Two billion times 3 cents extra fare would mean sixty millions more not coming to the pockets of the people sixty millions to make up an alleged deficit of eight millions is typical of corporate extortion. The trust will compromise, if it can, on forty million.

Does any court get excited about that? For a long time the trust planning this thievary ruse has had all to a courtroom for protection and encouragement.

On what has labor been feeding in England, that makes it so bold? A few hundred Asiatics in British India for a few years have made much difference, it doesn't need so rapidly, have been shot down by order of the British commander. And British labor, if you please, announces that it will compel the government to order the commander that ordered the massacre.

The interesting part is that, in England, labor really has the power. Over there they haven't got what we have, half a dozen men running for President on the platform, "Elect me, and I'll show labor where it gets off."

Four women, called to jury duty in the murder trial of a young man named New, in Los Angeles, were dismissed. They said they would not vote to inflict death in any case.

Proud man says this shows that women are not fit to be jurors or voters, or do anything else outside of home or hearth.

Before the French revolution the same men would have refused to condemn witnesses to capital punishment, although known to be innocent, to make them confess what they knew about their master. Often they were tortured into bearing false witness. Men, then, would have said that women objecting to torture were not fit for the gallows. It was a cruel and tortuous was essential to justice. Woman's influence with capital punishment, and that will be another step toward civilization, as was the end of public torture, brought about by the French revolution.

An Asiatic scientist has perfected an instrument measuring by a hundred thousand the highest power of all life processes, and making it possible actually to see the growth of plants. This enables future Burbanks to see the hour to hour the effect of different fertilizers, of water, of electricity, and even of alcohol on plant life.